

68-10-101. Reports of physicians and health officers.

(a) Every physician or other person who makes a diagnosis of, or treats, or prescribes for a case of sexually transmitted disease and every superintendent or manager of a clinic, hospital, laboratory or penal institution, in which there is a case of sexually transmitted disease, shall report the case immediately to those persons or agencies designated as recipients of such reports by the commissioner.

(b) Reports will be made on forms supplied by the department, stating the name, address, age, sex, race, stage of the disease and other information on the form as may be required for the location, treatment and control of infectious cases.

(c) Reporting of sexually transmitted diseases other than those designated as reportable in the regulations promulgated by the department is not required.

[Acts 1921, ch. 106, § 1; impl. am. Acts 1923, ch. 7, § 46; Shan. Supp., § 3116a8; Code 1932, § 5813; Acts 1943, ch. 73, § 1; C. Supp. 1950, § 5813; T.C.A. (orig. ed.), § 53-1101; Acts 1988, ch. 695, §§ 1, 3.]